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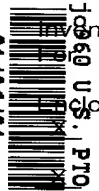
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**METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR DECODING A SECTION FROM COMPRESSED DATA**

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5 No. of Sheets of Drawings Sheet(s) of drawings ( X informal) + 0 extra copies;  
32 pages of Application; 19 pages of specification, 1 page of abstract  
An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation. (      Will follow.)  
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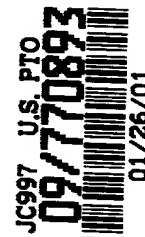
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